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#### Western Aqueduct Association.

The annual meeting of this association will be holden at the office of C. F. Thompson Crosby block, in Brattleboro, on Tuesday the 4th day of June next, at 7:30 o'clock P. M., to transact the following business:
1. To choose officers for the ensuing year.

To raise money to defray the expense of the association.

G. C. AVERHAL, Secretary, C. F. THOMPSON, President Brattleboro, May 23, 1991.

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### BRATTLEBORO.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Brattleboro & Whitehall railroad will be held in the Brooks House at 10 o'clock tomorrow.

Columbian lodge, No. 36, F. & A. M. worked the first degree on two candidates Wednesday evening. Refreshments were served after the work.

The 4.35 train, southbound, was delayed by a broken journal between Northfield and Northfield Farms, Mass., Saturday until about 9 o'clock at night.

The Agnes Wallace Villa company stopped in Brattleboro a short time Monday, leaving on the Central Vermont south bound train after taking breakfast at the Brooks House.

Mrs. Charles Stevens, who formerly lived on Western avenue, will celebrate her 90th birthday anniversary today at the home of her daughter. Mrs. E. A. Wood, in Springfield, Mass. The Woman's club met with Mrs. Herbert Clark in West Brattleboro Saturday, when a very interesting Children's day program was rendered, among those present being the kindergarten children and the children of the club members. Mrs. James Elmer was unanimously elected ent of the club to succeed Miss E. Clark, resigned. Refreshments

of ice cream and cake were served.

The severe rain prevented holding

the meeting on the lawn as planned. A lively but not serious runaway took place on Green and Elliot streets Friday evening. An agent of Springfield, Mass., tea company left one of C. S. Stockwell's horses on Green street unhitched, contrary to instructions. specific The horse started for the stable, and its momentum increased all the way. When the horse reached the entrance to the stable yard it was going so fast that it could not turn the corner and ran against the brick wall of the Richardson meat market. One of the thills went through the screen and a pane of glass in the window and the other struck the wall and was broken off. The horse was stunned for an instant, but was not badly hurt. The tea was

spilled out near Dr. Waterman's house.

With 500 volts of electricity passing through him Charles Leitsinger had an experience Friday night which will long remain vivid in his memory. and another employe at the street railroad power station in Centreville went into one of the boilers to work, taking with them a drop light. The insulation had in some way been removed from a small part of the wire and Mr. Leitsinger accidentally grasped the wire at that point, his fore finger and thumb coming in direct contact with the wire. The boiler his feet was connected with the ground so that there was no obstruction to the current, and he was thrown from one side of the boiler to the other with such violence that his hold on the wire was broken, but not | from hadly hurned. tinued with his work with brief loss

player who is connected with the Wright & Ditson establishment in Boston, is here superintending the improvements on the links of the Wanthe fourth hole will be placed on the tance to the second hole will be exwho has been playing the game 15 years, and he has spent the past ten in a city.-- From society page in Bosyears in this country, in professional | ton Sunday Globe. playing and in superintending the work on courses. He came here from New Jorsey and only a short time ago directed the work on the new links in Newton, Mass. He will examine the new links at Pine Grove Springs, which were laid out by Alexanger Findley, with whom he is associated, and will then fill an engage-ment with the Rutland Country club. Owing to a broken finger Mr. Burton does not play the game regularly, but a few days ago, playing with one hand, he made a round of nine holes in 41 strokes.

Varnish Makes Devoe's Varnish Phor point cost 5 costs more a quart ; makes it look brighter and wear fully twice as long as Sold by Hobbins & Cowles.

The Vermont Phanix. | W. W. Davenport of Leyden recently sold a barnful of fat steers to Richardson & Co. of Brattleboro.

Thomas L. Lawler has been appointed administrator of the estate of the late Maurice Ryan of Greenfield, Mass. The Washington despatches an

nounce an increase of pension, to \$10 to Montpeller Monday, was admitted per month, for Camden Smith of Brat- to practice before the Vermont Sutleboro.

Mrs. Fanny Odell, 86, who died Saturday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Moses in Williamstown, Mass., was a sister of Mrs. Lydia Higley of Brattleboro.

It took Col. Hooker just 15 minutes Saturday to raise \$130 to pay Brattleboro's share in the New England building at the Pan American exposition in Buffalo. Windham county's share was \$450. Judge Read of Bel-lows Fails, a member of the state comraised \$320 and asked Col. Hooker Saturday to raise the balance.

Rev. Charles O. Day called both to the chair of homiletics and the presidency of the seminary has been for several years studying the educational problems of the Western coland gaining a most valuable knowledge of the practical problems which face both the school and the church in various parts of the country. He will add to Andover a large execu tive ability and a broad acquaint-ance with the living problems of the day .- [Editorial in Boston Transcript.

Mrs. Lamson, widow of C. M. Lamson, formerly president of the Ameri-can Board, will speak in the Congregational church in West Brattleboro at the 5 o'clock vesper service next Sunday. In the evening she will speak in the Congregational chapel in this village at 7.30, and the regular conecration service which was to be held next Sunday by the Christian Endeavor society will be postponed Mrs. Lamson comes under the auspices of the Woman's Board of Missions.

The Ames hill road in district No. 9 has been repaired thoroughly the past week. Bushes have been cut away, ample ditches cut and opened, new drainage placed where needed. and easy water bars provided. would seem that the hard climb of Ames hill could now be utilized as a pleasure drive. Road Commissioner erry is making an effort to have all the roads in the outer districts repaired by June 15th, to accommodate the pleasure driving, which will begin in force about that time. The scarcity of laborers retards the work in the outer districts.

From the Holyoke correspondence n the Springfield Republican of Tues-Two girls from Brattleboro, Vt., were the guests of the city marshal at the police station yesterday afternoon. They strayed down to see the sights and have a good time about a week ago. One had a little money, but it had nearly all gone, and they were forced to ask for a chance to get home. One was 19 and the other 16, and they had been staying on Maple street. They will not wander away from home so far again for some little time probably. They were sent home late in the afternoon.

the Boston Globe says of a recent production of T. W. Robertson's comedy entitled "Ours," by the Criterion club of Boston: "The piece was remarkably well mounted and splendid ly acted throughout with the result that the audience laughed and laughed until it seemed as though they must have been wearied with hilarity. The club will give one of Augustin Daly's well known four-act comedies tomorrow evening at the Auditorium for the benefit of the Unitarian so ciety. Brattleboro people who have seen the club speak very enthusias tically of the work done, and promise the audience one of the best things

of the season. Forty-one Sir Knights, clad in ful uniforms presenting a striking mill tary appearance, marched from their asylum on Elliot street through the rain Friday night, under the command of Eminent Commander D. A. Young, to St. Michael's Episcopal church, where the impressive ritual of ae Knights Templar was rendered. followed by a sermon by the rector, Rev. E. T. Mathison, from the text ascended into heaven." sermon dealt with the subject of the ascension. Music was furnished by the regular Episcopal church choir. There was a good attendance, in addition to the Sir Knights of Beauseant

Commandery. The 34th annual encampment of the Vermont department of the Grand Army will be held in city hall, Burlington, Wednesday, June 19, at 10 a. m The 13th Vermont regiment association will give the members of the encampment a complimentary boat ride on Lake Champlain the evening of the 19th, and camp fire exercises will take place at that time. The hotels of Burlington will give reduced rates. Excursion tickets on the railroads will be good going June 18, 19 and 20, and returning until the 22d. The Boston & Maine railroad will sell round trip tickets as follows: Brattlebero \$5.80 Dummerston \$5.60, Putney \$5.40, East Westminster \$5.04, Hellows Falls \$4.80.

Mr. Robert Gordon Hardie, the portrait painter, has received a cablegram Egypt, commissioning him to thumb and finger had been paint a full-length portrait of George grand. Mr. Leitsinger con- Washington in his Masonic regalia, the portrait to be presented to the grand lodge in London by Henry S. Arthur Burton, the professional golf | Wellcom, a London chemist, but for merly of New York. One of Mr. Hardie's special characteristics is the perfect likeness he gets of his subject. Much regret and surprise is manifest tastiquet Golf club. Grass greens are in Vermont that the governor should being built, and Mr. Burton may dehave commissioned a Boston artist to to turf the tees. The green of paint a portrait of Capt. Clark of Orethe fourth hole will be placed on the gon fame, a Vermont man, rather south side of the road, and the distance than this distinguished Vermont artist, whose fame is world-wide. tended. Mr. Burton is an Englishman | Hardie has his studio in Brattleboro. where he finds less interruption than

#### Letter to Clapq & Jones, Bruttlehoro, Vt.

Dear Sirs: - It takes 3000 gallons of paint for the two big hotels at Coney Island Manhattan and Oriental. They are painted once in hree years with Devoe lead and zine.

Why so often? Three reasons; (1) sen air cuts paint; (2) sand in the wind cuts paint; il) hotels, especially pleasure hotels, want freshness and color as much as protection. Once in three years is often enough and not oo often to paint a hotel on a windy sand

How long do you think lead and oil wo ast there? One year. Is there anything for m in this? Yours truly, F. W. DEVOE & CO. P. S. Robbins & Cowles sell Devoe paint in

G. E. Gliman has sold a fine pair of ! black geldings, weight 2000 pounds, to the village of Bellows Falls.

King Jollity will be brought out under the direction of E. Wales at Randolph the second week in June. Lawyer James F. Hooker, who went

preme court. The Grange Dramatic club held a sociable in Grange hall Friday evening. A musical and literary program was rendered by the young people.

The Bird club will meet for bird day next Saturday morning at 8.30 in the rear of the residence of Mrs. E. E. Stockwell, Spruce street. All carry

N. T. Ryan has petitioned for appointment as guardian of the children of the late Anthony Ryan of Holyoke, trust held by his brother, the late Maurice Ryan of Greenfield.

The hydrants throughout the village have been painted black this week and the fire alarm boxes have been painted red with the exception of the lettering, which is white.

When Viola Allen, the noted played in Northampton, actress. Mass., last week she was the guest of her cousin, Mrs. William McGrath of that city, formerly of Brattleboro.

A regular meeting of Bingham Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, was held Tuesday evening, when an official visitation was made by Mr. Moore of Springfield, this state, district deputy grand patron. Mrs. Moore was also

The physicans of the town and the orporators of the Thompson hospital held a conference Sunday with Trus-tee Bradley of the Thomas Thompson estate in regard to the most desirable formerly professor in the Harvard ve site for a hospital. Mr. Bradley will erinary department, whose practice is appoint a committee to select a site.

Adjutant General Gilmore has Issued general order No. 7 in regard to the annual parade and inspection or the companies of the First regiment. Company I's field day will be held June 1, and Major Howe of Northfield will be the inspecting officer.

All the sewers of the town have been flushed this week, by order of the board of bailiffs, with the exception of Walnut street sewer, which has caused trouble heretofore. caought there is a break in this sewer and that it will be necessary to dig up a part of it.

H. H. Sanders, who has just com-pleted 42 years of service in the embranch of the Central Vermont railroad, is the oldest conductor in the mploy of the company and one of the oldest in the railroad business. His run is between New London and Nor-

A meeting of the proposed Catholic Union will be held in St. Michael's school house at 3 o'clock Sunday to organize the union and elect officers. The organization will be made up of the men of the society who are over 16 years old. Its object will be the mental, social and physical advancement of the members.

The Malden Evening Times says of a recent performance of the Cri-terion club: "The audience was large and appreciative and was composed of many of the most prominent citi-The production was finely rendered and well staged, and throughout the performance expressions of approval were heard on all sides." Auditorium tomorrow evening.

with Bangor against Nashua at the latter city Friday. Bangor won 11 to Guiheen had only one chance at third base, accepting it. In five times to the bat he lined out five safe hits. He also made one score and stole a Manager Burnham of Bangor was anxious to have him sign a contract, and offered him the limit of the Guiheen returned Saturday and since then has had several offers.

Road Commissioner Perry is planning to lay new concrete sidewalks on Forest street, Grove street north side, Maple street north side, South Main street west side, Pine street south side, Washington street hill, Guilford street east side. The north side of High street will be resurfaced and a new section will be laid in Centreville. Perry has not decided upon the concreting in West Brattleboro. Other repairs and crossings are contemplated in the places in urgent need of them. Mr. Perry hopes to begin work early in June.

The United States civil service commission announces that on June 19 an examination will be held in Brattleboro for positions as clerk and carrier in the post office service. All persons who have been examined for these positions within the year and failed to pass may be re-examined upon filing new applications in due The age limitations are as follows: Clerk, not less than 18 years: carrier between 21 and 40 years. plications must be on file with Miss F. E. Gulld, secretary of the local board, before the hour of closing business on June 12.

The young ladies of the Bernhardt Dramatic club gave two plays for the venefit of the International Sunshine society, branch 1, at Mrs. J. G. Ullery's on Thursday afternoon, May 16. first play given was "A Happy Pair," parts being taken by Miss Elizabeth Marshall and Miss Louise Dayenport. The second, a burlesque on four familiar heroines of Shakspere, called "Places and Dames," or "The The several Ladies Speak Last.' parts were taken by Miss Elizabeth starshan, Miss Louise Davenport, Miss Edwina Whitney and Miss Helen Keyes. The young actresses did re-markably well, as the generous applause of the audience testified, and a good sum was netted for the society.

N. T. Ryan is now in Greenfield, Mass., three days in the week, con-oucting the business formerly carried on there by his brother, Maurice Ryan, as one of the branches of the Ryan Brothers' concern. He has been awarded several large contracts recently in Greenfield and vi-The business men of Greenfield have made propositions to Mr. Ryan to move there to make that place the headquarters for his business, and the outlook is so encourage ing that he thinks it probable that he will make the change. Mr. Ryan has een an active business man in Brattleboro for many years and there will be general regret if he decides to move to Greenfield. He is the kind of a citizen the town can ill afford to

Gen. H. B. Titus will deliver the Me-morial day address in Lisbon, N. H. The invitation to speak there came om some of the "boys" who were in his command in the civil war.

The Boston & Maine railroad company is making a trip rate of \$1.80 from Brattleboro to Springfield and return during the continuance of the Baptist anniversary meetings ending May 29.

Mr. and Mrs. William Schuster, who nave been studying and filling on gagements in Leipsic and Vienna sev eral months, expect to arrive in New tork about June 15. They will come to Brattleboro during the summer.

A new covering of railroad rails and slatestones has been placed this week on the reservoir near the Estev factories. Similar work will be done next week at the reservoir near I. O P. Smith's residence on Canal street F. H. Howard of Brattleboro and

Thomas Burns of Massachusetts bargained for the Peabody House in South Londonderry recently. It is understood that the price was \$5500. Mr. Burns will take the management of the hotel. Col. Julius Timson of Claremont,

N. H., who was in town Tuesday, sold the Timson home place on Western avenue to Mary A. Shearer and Frank L. Wellman of Guilford, and the Tim-son farm in West Brattleboro to Geo. Henry Timson. Rev. R. F. Lowe killed a rattle snake on Wantastiquet mountain Fri-

day afternoon while he and Mrs. Lowe

were out for a walk. The snake was three feet nine inches long and five inches in circumference at the largest point. It had four rattles. Dr. Tobin, veterinary, expects to leave Brattleboro about June 1. will be asociated with Dr. Golding, formerly professor in the Harvard vet

onfined to Brookline and the Back Bay district in Boston. Encouraging news is received from Mrs. H. R. Miles, who is in the Johns Hopkins hospital in Baltimore, Md. She is doing well and the physicians are confident that she will entirely Rev. H. R. Miles and Dr Miller have been in Baltimore this

week. Brattleboro will furnish at least five Memorial day orators this year, Col Haskins going to White River June tion, James Fisk Hooker to the Sol alers' Home in Bennington, Gen. H. B. Titus to Lisbon, N. H., Clarke C. Fitts to Wilmington, Rev. R. K. Marvin to

Dummerston. Gorham B. Goodell, a prominent resident of this town 25 years ago, is visiting here a few days. He is nov engaged in mining in California and came to New York on a business trip, Mr. Goodell was located some years in Cheyenne, Wyoming, and later in Portland, Oregon, and for two or three years was interested in developments

at Dawson and Cape Nome. Cunton J. Bronson, whose death in Westboro, Mass., after a long ill ness is recorded by our Hinsdale cor respondent, is remembered by many people in Brattleboro as a former pro prietor of the Brattleboro and Hins dale stage line. He was an accom-pushed musician and was for a long time tuba soloist in the First Regi ment band.

Dr. M. L. Bruce has been elected and commissioned as medical examiner for Modern Woodmen of America This is a mutual insurance and socia order which has a membership of about a quarter million. The loca camp already numbers nearly 60. lub will give "A Night Off" at the cal officers are S. E. Miner, H. M. Wood, S. W. Knight, E. J. Whiteher R. Benson, C. W. Weatherby, M. J. Tommy Guiheen was the star bats- Lillis, L. L. Moore, A. Anderson and Kohde

A Central Vermont railroad orde went into effect Monday making Brat ticboro the division headquarters for freight crews running between Brattieboro and New London. A by the crews were obliged to run from New London to White River Junction one day and back the next, and as a result several families, whose hor were in Brattleboro, moved away The present order makes the situa tion practically the same as before the change last October, and som 20 men will move back to Brattle boro. Their run will be from Brat tleboro to New London one day and back the next day. The change i not as complete as the former one as it does not affect the passenger crews.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy C. Lamson were given a delightful reception by the people of their parish in West Cornwall last Friday, the 17th inst., on the first anniversary of their marriage They were presented with a handsome mahogany library couch with green and gold upholstery. Both Mr. Mrs. Lamson have been active workers in the whole community, and it is stated with pride in West Cornwall that about 50 different persons in that small country parish, Irrespe tive of church lines, contributed to the gift. Mr. Lamson has received flattering offers from other fields of work. but both he and his wife think best to remain at present where they are so deeply interested in their work...

Memorial exercises will be held in the High school next Wednesday fore noon at 10 o'clock. At 2 o'clock the exercises of the grades in the High school building and Chase street scaool will begin in the High scho room, and also at 2 the Canal, High Esteyville and Washington. street primary schools will assemble in the Universalist church. James James Fisk Hooker and Ernest W. Gibson and probably some member of the Grand Army will speak at the High school in the morning, and in the afternoon when the regular programs by the children will be carried out, J. L. Martin will speak at the Universalist church and Rev. E. Q. S. Osgood at the High school. Each school will contribute to the program. The members of the patriotic organizations and the public generally are in vited to attend the exercises. All members of the Sedgewick Grand Army post have received personal invi-

Boston & Maine's Floral Scheme it is stated that the floral embellishment of the grounds connected with the stations of the Boston & Maine railroad will be more elaborate and profuse during the coming season than ever before. Every depot which has a suitable plot of ground on each division of the owned and leased lines will have its flower beds, and as the station agents will have the incentive of prize competition in addition to their pride and natural taste, the

plants of the first quality.

There will be a demonstration of Tryphosia by Miss McGlenchy at Freeman Scott's grocery store all next

The first of the series of open-air concerts by the First Regiment band will be given next Wednesday evening on Main street. The jolliest evening of the season

will be enjoyed at the Auditorium tomorrow night with the Criterion club in "A Night Off." Members of Company I, First Vernont Infantry, are requested to meet

in the company's rooms, Ullery building. Monday evening at 7.30. The opening concert and ball in Brookside park will be held next Thursday evening with music by the

First Regiment band of 25 pleces. Klein & Brothers of Philadelphia are making new trimmings for the fa-tigue uniforms of the First Regiment band, which will make them dress uniforms. They will be worn Memorial day for the first time.

Tuesday was the 50th wedding an niversary of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pratt of Oak street. The occasion was not publicly celebrated, but a few of Mr. and Mrs. Pratt's friends called to congratulate them and to express verbally and by beautiful flowers and other tokens, the high regard in which they are held.

H. W. Cobb of Putney was here Wednesday searching the bank of the river for the body of Perley L. Blanchard, who was drowned in East Putney in March. He will search as far as Holyoke, going down on the west bank and returning on the opposite shore. The chance of finding the body is small, but there is a feeling that during the high water in March the body may have become lodged where it can now be found.

- A hearing in the United States court was held before Judge Wheeler in the Brooks House Friday after noon on the petition of Samuel Wil liams, who furnished a large amount of money for the completion of the White River Valley electric railroad. for leave to intervene and become a party to all further proceedings in the litigation in which the railroad is involved. The petition was granted. Waterman & Martin appeared for the petitioner. Rufus H. Sawyer, reeiver, appeared for himself and H. Wellman of Boston for Jose Par ker & Co.

The annual meeting of the Rura Improvement society was held in the Brooks House Monday evening, when these officers were elected: President H. F. Jordan: vice presidents, G. L. Dunham and Mrs. A. D. Wyatt; retary and treasurer, Fred C. Adams orresponding secretary, French; directors, C. H. Pratt, C. P. Gilson, E. W. Fox, L. F. Adams, G. L. Dunham, F. W. Childs, H. K. Whita-ker, A. W. Roel, R. C. Bacon, Mrs. A. Wyatt, Mrs. H. K. Whitaker, Mrs. F. E. Perry, Mrs. Eric Landry, jr., Mrs. J. G. Ullery and Mrs. G. F. Bar-The directors will meet tonight to plan work.

Property owners in various parts of the village have been bothered by trespassers lately, and in some instances windows have been broken and other damage done. Several buildings have been watched by offiers and on Wednesday night, a time of patient waiting, two officers who had secreted themselves in the cottage in Crowell's park caught two people trespassing. They had a key by which they gained entrance to the ottage and were making themselves t home when the officers turned a dark lantern on them. The trespas ers were given some sound advice and were released after promising to keep away in the future. The next of fenders will not be treated so lenently

New Manager for Brooks House,

Crosby & Adams, proprietors of the Brooks House, on Tuesday engage Henry O. Carpenter of Rutland to anage the house, beginning June 4 Mr. Carpenter has been connected with the Bardwell House in Rutland 6 years, beginning as bell boy when e was 12 years old, and he has bee nanager of the house many years He is about 48 years old and is one of the most competent and thorough otel men in New England. itso one of Rutland's prominent cit zens and represented the city in the state legislature two years ago. has a wife and two accomplished laughters who will come here to live at the hotel. Mr. Carpenter Brattleboro last week and, with L. B Adams, made a thorough inspection on the hotel, pronouncing it the finest equipped hotel in Vermont. On Fuesday Mr. Carpenter brought his family to Brattleboro to look the over, and the arrangements were then made for his becoming manager. It is not known that Mr. Carpenter will make any changes in the present force of employes. Carpenter's reason for leaving Rutand is that since the death of J. W Crampton, the former proprietor the Bardwell House, Mrs. Crampton has decided to manage the hotel her-

# Cassius M. C. Richardson,

Cassius M. C. Richardson, 45, died ariy Tuesday morning after a long inness with pulmonary tuberculosis resulting from an attack of pneumonia. Mr. Richardson spent five months in Southern Pines, N. C., the past winter but his health was not improved and since his return home several weeks ago there has been no hope of his

Private funeral services were held the house on Green street at 4 clock yesterday, Rev. E. Q. S. Os good, of the Unitarian church, tating. The singing was by E. H. The burial was in Prospect Miller. Hill cemetery, the bearers being C. H. Pratt, Frank Dye, Don A. Miller and A. H. Hines.

Mr. Richardson was born in Gullford Nov. 13, 1855, and was a son of the late William F. Richardson, the widely known meatman. He moved with his parents to Brattleboro t boy and attended the Burnside milltary school, taught by Col. C. A. Miles. After leaving school he was book eeper two years in C. F. Thompson's hardware store. He afterwards enterd the employ of his father in the meat market in market block on Elliot street, where the most of his business life was spent. Three years ago he bought the meat market in Grange building, but gave up the busine about a year later on account of ill health. He married Leonora, daughter of Col. and Mrs. John Hunt, who survives with one daughter, Leonora He also leaves two brothers, L. H. and Fred Richardson of Brattleboro, whole road will blossom with beauty. The road has ordered 50,000 flowering and one sister, Mrs. O. O. Ware of plants of the first quality. ON THE LOCAL DIAMOND.

Y. M. C. A. Beaten 9-3 by Hinsdale High School Wednesday.

The High school base ball team has no game scheduled for tomorrow, next contest will be against Green-field High school at Greenfield Memorial day. It is expected that the High school and Y. M. C. A. teams will meet on the home grounds next week Saturday.

The receipts at the base ball game between the Y. M. C. A. and High school ball teams were \$2.90, and the game between Y. M. C. A. and Hins-dale, with a large crowd present brought only \$5. This causes not only a loss to the Y. M. C. A. team but a general demoralizing effect. Many people enter by the farther gate and refuse to pay and others appear on the east side of the field and gradnally work themselves into a good po-A low admission will sition. charged at the next game, against the High school team, and if the attempts at avoiding payment are con tinued no games will be arranged with ut of town teams.

Brattleboro Y. M. C. A. lost to Hinsdale High school on the home grounds Wednesday afternoon, 9 to 3. Up to the end of the sixth inning, when the score was 3 to 1 in favor of the Y. M. C. A., the contest was prettily played and was very exciting. Then three hits, all just inside third base, and two errors, resulted in four scores for Hinsdale, and the lead was inreased in the two following innings. Y. M. C. A. had only one error up to the end of the sixth inning. Robertson pitched seven innings and McCormick the last two for Hinsdale Clune went into the box for Y. M. C. A. in the last inning. Hinsdale got 12 hits with a total of 14, and Brattleboro seven with a total of nine. The entire Hinsdale infield played strongy, and McCormick with two singles and Hubbard with a single and double ed in the batting. Ellis not pitched a good game, but fielded his position well. W. Tufts caught like a professional and nailed the only two runners who tried to steal second. Monroe covered first base in good style, and lined out a three bagger Ferriter made two difficult catches in centre field. The score by innings: Brattleboro,

#### Sudden Death of Lorenzo Harris.

Lorenzo Harris, 71, died early this norning at his home on Forest street of neuralgia of the heart, following an attack of indigestion. The funeral will probably be held Monday at the house. Mr. Harris was born in Hall fax in August, 1829, and was a son of Joshua and Nancy (Miner) Harris. About 25 years ago he went to Jack sonville to live, thence to Guiiford in the employ of Smith & Hunt, and Brattleboro when the business of the firm was established here remaining in their employ ever since His first wife was Mary (Burt) Smith of Townshend and Brattleboro, and his second wife, whom he married about five years ago, was Mrs. Lizzie Wright of Grafton. Besides his wife Mr. Harris leaves one son, Alson Har ris of Brattleboro, and two step-children in Springfield, this state. also leaves two brothers, A. R. Harris of Washington street and Avery Harris of East Charlotte. Mr. Harris enlisted in Company I, 4th Vermont regiment from Halifax in 1861 and served three years. He was engaged in several battles, in one of which he was wounded on the top of his head, the skull being fractured.

# CHURCH AND FRATERNITY.

The Murray club will hold its annual meeting at the church parlors iesday evening. May 29, at eight

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. will serve a supper at Mrs. M. A. Cham-berlain's Elliot street, next Wednes lay from five to eight

The ladies of the Episcopal society will have a supper and sale at Mrs. Shea's, Oak street, Wednesday, May 19, from five to eight o'clock.

Methodist church.-Rev R. F. Lowe, pastor.—Sunday, May 26: morning service, 10.30; subject, "Another Comforter"; Sanday school, 11.45; I worth league, 6.30; preaching, 7.30.

Children's Sunday will be observed at the Universalist church a week from next Sunday. There will be a sermonette for the children and several little ones will be presented for dedication.

Advent church.-E. E. Lombard. pastor.-Sunday services: Prayer meeting, 10.45 a. m.; Sunday school 12 m.; preaching, 2.30 p. m.; subject Is the World Growing Better?" 7.30 p. m., subject, "The Mind of Christ"; Loyal Workers' meeting, 6.30 p. m. All are welcome.

The Daughters of the American Revolution held their regular monthly meeting at the Brooks House Tuesday evening. The paper of the evening was given by Miss Maria Stedman on Colonial Art, and was much enjoyed by the chapter. Miss Maude Young sang. The chapter voted to buy the lineage books. The summer meetings will probably be picnics held on hisoric ground.

The ladies of Sedgwick Woman's Relief Corps will meet at the post ace building Sunday morning at 5.30 attend services at West Brattlero; at Mr. Retting's store Wednes cay morning at 5.30 to attend the high school exercises; in Festival hall Thursday at 1.30 to attend the exercises at the Auditorium. They will iso meet in Grand Army hall Tuesday

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Francis Curtis, who died in Springelu, Mass., last Thursday, was for some years a resident of this place, He invented an automatic machine manufacture of screws and built a shop on Whetstone brook just north of the village where he made He moved to Springfield some 20 years ago. He was a na-

tive of Canada. Brattleboro Academy defeated a picked nine ruesday 15 to 8. Brattleboro Academy will play Powers Institute at Brookside park Saturday, May 25. An interesting game is expected. Brattleboro Academy is also scheduled to play Brattleboro High scaool June 1 at Brookside park and June 8 at Riverside.

Must Pay Muzzy's Bond. In the United State's court at Windor yesterday Judge Wheeler directed the jury to return a verdict for \$21,080 for the plaintiff in the case of Muir, receiver of the Merchants' National bank of Rutland, vs. the Fidelity company of Baltimore. The grand jury will make final report tomorrow.

#### PRETTY MAY WEDDING.

Arthur L. Maynard and Miss Corabel L. Coates Married Tuesday Amid

Decorations of Apple Blossoms. A wedding ceremony which united are destinies of arthur Lyman May-nard and Miss Corabel Lottle Coates, who are among the best known of Brattleboro's young people, was per-formed in the First Baptist church at 12 o'clock Tuesday by Rev. F. E. Mar-ble, Ph. D., pastor of the church. It was an apple blossom wedding, informal, but very pretty, and was witnessed by a large number of people. Only verbal invitations were issued to some

of the near friends. For haif an hour before the service Prof. F. C. F. Cramer rendered a musical program on the church organ. At 12 o'clock, as the wedding party approached the altar, he played the brual march from "Lohengrin," and while the marriage ceremony was be ing performed he rendered The bridal " by Schumann. party left the church while the strains of the "Wedding March," by Mendelssohn, filled the edifice.

The pulpit and platform were almost hidden from view by a mass of apple blossoms, arranged by the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor. In front of the platform was an arch of apple blossoms, and at this the minister, the bridegroom and the best man, Fred S. Knight, were met at the appointed hour by the bride and her sister, Miss Louise Coates, who acted as bridesmaid. The bridesmaid preceded the bride down the main aisle of the church. The bride were white organdie trimmed with applique and liberty satin and carried a bouquet of apple blos-The bridesmaid also wore white organdie, trimmed with liberty satin and yellow ribbon. She also carried a bouquet of apple blos-soms. The service was with a wedding ring. The ushers were Harry R. Horton, George C. Wilson, Edward V. Morse and Christie B. Crowell.

After the service Mr. and Mrs. Maynard were taken to their future home on Oak street and from there to riagg Brothers' restaurant, where a wedding breakfast was served to the wedding party and the out-of-town guests. Later, after receiving a shower of rice, Mr. and Mrs. Maynard rode to Winchester, N. H., and went from there by train to Keene. After a trip of 10 days they will live at 24 Oak street, where they will be at home after June 18.

The guests from out of town who attended the wedding were Clarence A. Coates and Mrs. L. B. Coates of Providence, R. I., Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Boynton of West Townshend, Mrs. George Dompier of Putney, and Mrs. Lionel Spaulding, Miss Mabel Spaulding and Mr. and Mrs. Her-vey Porter of North Leverett, Mass. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Coates of Washington street. She graduated from the Brat-

tieboro High school in 1886 and afterwards taught in the Brattleboro graded schools eight years, also sevral terms in the district schols in brattleboro and Vernon. She gave up teaching about a year ago. Mr. Maynard came to Brattleboro from Montague, Mass., 10 years ago last January. He was employed in the insurance office of Sherman & Jenne five years and has since been with Childs & Putnam, insurance agents. Mr. and Mrs. Maynard both are active workers in the Baptist church and its auxiliary organizations, and they are esteemed highly throughout the community. They received many beautiful wedding gifts.

NEW BROOM SWEEPING CLEAN.

Commendable Action Taken on Sev eral Matters by the New Board of

The new bailiffs took commendable

action on several matters at their regpar meeting Saturday night. They voted to have signs placed on the rail road bank, forbidding the dumping of refuse there. The bank will be cleansed thoroughly through the joint action of the Boston & Maine railroad company and the Village Improvement society, and an effort will be made to keep it clean and attractive. Hereafter people passing through Brattleboro on the cars will not get an unfavorable impression of the village through the unsightly appearance of the bank in the rear of the Main street business buildings on the east side. The bailiffs also de cided to notify the merchants on Main street that the street and sidewalk must not be obstructed unnecessarily by boxes of merchandise. When such boxes are unloaded in front of a store they must be unpacked immediately then removed. The dumping ground on Union street will be abolished, and signs will be posted there for bidding the continuance of the nulsance. The present accumulation of ruboish there will be buried. Some flagrant actions in connection with the use of this dump which have come to attention recently have been a menace to health and the offenders unquestionably laid themselves liable to prosecution. Unless several property owners connect their buildings with sewers at once, they will be directed to do so through petition, as the law

provides I ae bailiffs voted at a meeting Saturday night to put a new roof on the steamer house on Elliot street. was also voted to hold the bailiffs' meetings on the night of the second Saturday of each mouth in the office of Bacon & Hooker.

James Barrett ranks seventh as a batsmen in the American league at the end of last week, with a percent age of 365, but some of those who were ahead of him on averages have played in only a part of the games He has played in nearly 30 games in

centre field without making an error. There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local renedies, and by constantly failing to cone with local treatment, pronounced it in curable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Half's Catarrh Care, mainifactured by F. J. Cheney & Co. Tolecto. Oho, is the only constitutional arise on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teasfoonful. It agis directly on the bland and autoous surfaces of the system. They offer \$100 for any case it fails to cure. Sond for circulars and testimonials.

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